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 SUBJECT: SECURITY ASSISTANCE UPDATE

REF: COLLINS-ARCHARD TELCON

1. (C - ENTIRE TEXT)

2. PER REF, SENATE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE CONSIDERED
 FY-85 SECURITY ASSISTANCE BILL JUNE 26. SENATOR INOUE
 WAS CONSIDERING LANGUAGE LINKING GRANT MILITARY
 ASSISTANCE TO TURKEY WITH RETURN OF FAMAGUSTA/VAROSHA
 TO THE GOC FOR REFUGEE RESETTLEMENT UNDER UN AUSPICES.
 (INOUE'S LANGUAGE IS SIMILAR TO THAT IN SFRC VERSION
 WHICH WE HAVE BEEN FIGHTING VIA AN AMENDMENT PROPOSED
 BY SENATORS LUGAR AND STENNIS WHICH MAKES THE
 CONDITIONALITY ACCEPTABLE TO US.)

3. DURING JUNE 26 SESSION, SENATOR INOUE WITHDREW HIS
 LANGUAGE FROM COMMITTEE DELIBERATION, CITING
 REPRESENTATIONS TO HIM BY THE SECRETARIES OF STATE AND
 DEFENSE, AS WELL AS AMBASSADOR ELEKDAG. INOUE,
 HOWEVER, EVINced CONSIDERABLE SKEPTICISM OVER ARGUMENTS
 PRESENTED BY THE ADMINISTRATION TO THE EFFECT THAT HIS
 LANGUAGE WOULD IMPEDE CURRENT EFFORTS TO MOVE
 NEGOTIATING PROCESS FORWARD ON CYPRUS. HE RESERVED HIS
 RIGHT TO OFFER HIS AMENDMENT ON THE SENATE FLOOR.

4. COMMENT: WE GAINED A REPRIEVE THANKS TO AN ALL-OUT
 HIGH-LEVEL EFFORT WITH THE COMMITTEE MEMBERS. CLEARLY,
 HOWEVER, AS INOUE'S COMMENTS INDICATE, THE BATTLE HAS
 JUST BEGUN. END COMMENT. SHULTZ
 END OF MESSAGE

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